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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Christopher M. Hanna  
Title: BTSC Encoder  
Serial No.: 09/638,245  
Filing Date: August 14, 2000  
Group Art Unit: 2747  
Docket Number: 56233-139 (THAT-3DVCN)

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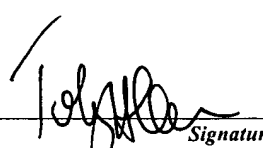
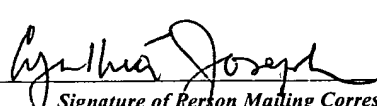
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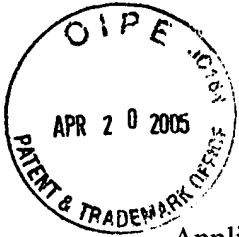
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT "C"

Prior to the first Official action please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page of this paper.

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